

Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2000, through April 14, 2001, has been 18 percent cooler than last year and 4 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 04/14/01	Previous 07/01/99 thru 04/14/00	Normal 07/01 thru 04/14	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	4,406	3,727	4,238	18	4
Cities					
Albuquerque	4,139	3,494	4,203	18	-2
Amarillo	4,228	3,463	4,049	22	4
Asheville	4,113	3,614	4,035	14	2
Atlanta	2,999	2,346	2,910	28	3
Billings	6,712	5,335	6,457	26	4
Boise	5,471	4,387	5,317	25	3
Boston	5,419	4,699	5,153	15	5
Buffalo	6,230	5,632	6,135	11	2
Cheyenne	6,629	5,561	6,450	19	3
Chicago	6,229	5,167	6,037	21	3
Cincinnati	5,079	4,412	4,932	15	3
Cleveland	5,775	5,038	5,669	15	2
Columbia, SC	2,785	2,365	2,592	18	7
Denver	5,850	4,691	5,461	25	7
Des Moines	6,578	4,976	6,138	32	7
Detroit	5,920	5,271	6,046	12	-2
Fargo	8,899	7,339	8,561	21	4
Hartford	5,997	5,156	5,717	16	5
Houston	1,802	1,090	1,592	65	13
Jacksonville	1,572	1,233	1,425	27	10
Kansas City	5,449	4,087	5,112	33	7
Las Vegas	2,225	1,606	2,336	39	-5
Los Angeles	1,417	997	1,218	42	16
Memphis	3,346	2,445	3,011	37	11
Miami	186	83	200	124	-7
Milwaukee	6,486	5,440	6,613	19	-2
Minneapolis	7,618	6,141	7,451	24	2
Montgomery	2,516	1,885	2,193	33	15
New York	4,577	3,946	4,579	16	0
Oklahoma City	4,009	2,746	3,563	46	13
Omaha	6,293	4,890	5,951	29	6
Philadelphia	4,620	3,991	4,662	16	-1
Phoenix	1,153	794	1,315	45	-12
Pittsburgh	5,572	4,866	5,501	15	1
Portland, ME	6,637	5,988	6,603	11	1
Providence	5,449	4,775	5,361	14	2
Raleigh	3,444	3,053	3,331	13	3
Richmond	4,009	3,373	3,801	19	5
St. Louis	4,952	3,743	4,535	32	9
Salem, OR	4,194	3,770	4,225	11	-1
Salt Lake City	5,427	4,503	5,283	21	3
San Francisco	2,427	2,068	2,534	17	-4
Seattle	4,285	4,017	4,222	7	1
Shreveport	2,594	1,685	2,243	54	16
Washington, DC	4,157	3,426	3,876	21	7

¹See Glossary.

Note: • The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,062 and the normal is 4,575. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.